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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Shunji BABA

Serial No. 09/811,605

Group Art Unit: 1762

Confirmation No. 9323

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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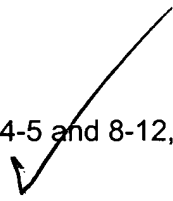
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In response to the Office Action mailed March 7, 2002, applicants elects Claims 1-3, 6 and 7 of Group I, without traverse.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please CANCEL claims 4-5 and 8-12, without prejudice.



Respectfully submitted,

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